

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International application No.

PCT/NO 2004/000298

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC7: G09B 23/32, G09B 23/30

According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

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Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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A	US 5580255 A1 (FLYNN), 3 December 1996 (03.12.1996), figure 4, abstract --	1-3
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Box No. II Observations where certain claims were found unsearchable (Continuation of item 2 of first sheet)

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1. ☐ Claims Nos.:
because they relate to subject matter not required to be searched by this Authority, namely:
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because they are dependent claims and are not drafted in accordance with the second and third sentences of Rule 6.4(a).

Box No. III Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of item 3 of first sheet)

This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:

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- ☐ The additional search fees were accompanied by the applicant's protest.
- ☒ No protest accompanied the payment of additional search fees.

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Box III

I: Claims 1-3, directed to a medical patient simulator with means to pull down a chest skin.

II: Claims 4-6, directed to a medical patient simulator with the option of altering the compliance of the lung(s).

III: Claims 7-8, directed to a medical patient simulator for simulation of muscle activity in a patient.

IV: Claim 9, directed to a system for controlling different pneumatic functions in a patient simulator

V: Claim 10, directed to a medical patient simulator comprising a head for simulating an increased pressure in the brain.

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